# PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH

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#### PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. Xavier De Pinto In residence: Fr. Joseph Moncada Deacon: Kevin Daudlin

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Saturdays	12:00 pm - 6:00 pm
Sundays	8:00 am - 1:00 pm
Monday to Friday	Closed

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Wednesdays	6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
Saturday	at 4:00 pm
First Friday	at 6:00 pm
Or by appointment	

#### **MASS TIMES**

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#### **DEVOTIONS**

Holy Rosary	Mon. to Sat. 7:30 am	Our Lady of Perpetual HelpWed. 7:00 pm
St. Joseph Devotion	Sat. 8:00 am	
St. Pio of Pietrelcina	Fri. 8:00 am	First Fridayall day Adoration, Healing Prayer
Precious Blood/ Holy Ho	our Wed 6:00 pm	& Anointing of the Sick from 8:00 am to 7:00 pm

BAPTISM, MARRIAGE AND SACRAMENT OF THE SICK CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE 416 751 2661

#### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Precious Blood	416-393-5258
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NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME - PLEASE REGISTER AT THE CHURCH OFFICE

The church needs your help to continue its' work of evangelization. Pre-Authorized Giving is now available! For more information or to register, please come to the church office.



#### **CHRIST THE KING**



The Solemnity of Christ the King celebrates the allembracing authority of Christ as King and Lord of the universe. It was introduced by pope Pius XI in 1925 and was originally celebrated on the last Sunday of October. In 1969, pope Paul VI moved it to the last Sunday before Advent, which is the final Sunday of the Church Year.

#### CHRISTMAS FOOD DRIVE

The Precious Blood CWL, in partnership with the St. Vincent De Paul society, is organizing a Christmas Food drive again this year. Food insecurity is even more prevalent this year with the high cost of food prices. The local food bank is struggling to put food items on the shelves for needy families. The food drive helps people in our own community. Beginning next weekend, CWL members will handing out bags with a Christmas Wish list, to be filled with food items. The food drive will end on December 10th so as to allow a timely delivery to the families. Please help a family with your food items this Christmas. Thank you for your generosity.



1. \$10 President's Choice gift card

7. Canned tuna

\*place in designated box

8. Cookies

2. Peanut butter and jam

3. Boxed cereal

9. Crackers

4. Boxed instant mashed potatoes

10. Package of pasta/rice

5. Macaroni and cheese

11. Spaghetti sauce12. Canned soup

6. Canned fruit

13. Canned vegetables

Bags will be distributed at all masses the week of November 18

Filled bags of food are to be placed by the altar between November 25 – December 10

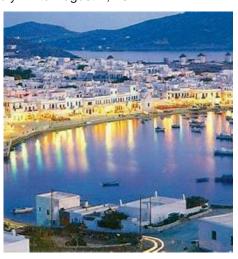


#### **WONDERS OF GREECE & TURKEY**

July 22 to August 1, 2024

Join Fr. Xavier, celebrating his 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination, in visiting enchanted places in Greece and Turkey.

This journey will take you to places we hear about in our Bible readings, like the island of Patmos, where



the Apostle John recorded the Book of Revelation, or the city of Corinth, visited by St. Paul 2000 years ago, and to whose inhabitants the "Letters to Corinthians" were addressed. You will also visit Athens, embark on a cruise ship to visit the breathtaking islands in the Aegean Sea where culture, history, and pristine beaches blend together, and more...

For a complete list of destinations, visit <a href="https://www.preciousblood.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/Greece-Turkey.pdf">https://www.preciousblood.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/Greece-Turkey.pdf</a>

To register and for more information please contact:



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#### **CHRISTMAS PLAY**



The Children's Liturgy Ministry would like to invite all the children from our parish and the neighboring parishes to come and join the Christmas Play!

Please see details below:

Date: December 17, 2023 - 12:00 mass

Event: Christmas Presentation of the Birth of Jesus

Participants: All Children willing to become angels are invited

Practice Time: From Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup> to December 10<sup>th</sup> at 11:15 - 11:45 AM.

Outfit: White for boys and girls

Please do not wear ANGEL WINGS AND HALO.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday, November 25 – Saturday, December 2

SATURDAY November 25, 2023

8:00am Thanksgiving Mass for Maria Earl and RIP

Mass for Hubert Kohlhoff and Michael

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5:00pm + Giovanni & Marianna Salines

SUNDAY November 26, 2023

8:30am

10:00am Thanksgiving Josefina Ramos

Thanksgiving for Beatriz Mostar-Aguillion

12:00pm + Fr. Lawrence Dugo

MONDAY November 27, 2023 8:00am + Mona Fonceca

TUESDAY November 28, 2023

8:00am Lysanne Westbridge

WEDNESDAY November 29, 2023

7:00pm + Carlo and Giovanna Zuzek

+Alex Dias

THURSDAY November 30, 2023 8:00am + Eric Louis Arquiza

FRIDAY December 1, 2023 8:00am + Mark Santra

SATURDAY December 2, 2023

8:00am + Victor Pappalardo 5:00pm + Terry Murphy

#### DID YOU KNOW?...



personal time, right after we die, we will be judged in our particular judgement, and based on the way our lives have reflected the love of God, our eternal home of Heaven or Hell will be decided. There could be a temporary sojourn

in Purgatory before we reach the final

At the end of our

glory of heaven.

At the end of all time when Christ will come again, the final or **last judgement** will take place. At this judgement, all people who ever lived will stand in front of Christ.

While the decisions of the particular judgement will stay in place, they will become known to all. The deepest secrets of everyone will be revealed. This will clear up questions as to why an outwardly pious person ended up in Hell or, vice versa, why the destination of a seemingly bad person was Heaven.

True values will be attached to philosophies, activities, trends and events, values that will likely be very different from the ones our society holds. This Last Judgement will reveal God's triumph over evil.

#### REMEMBERING THE PARISH IN YOUR WILL



A bequest is a beautiful way to express your faith and your gratitude for a lifetime of blessings! A gift to the parish or any of our diocesan charities in your will creates a lasting legacy that will help the church continue its heritage of

service and pastoral care to the faith community. When making your will, please consider a bequest to our parish.

To learn more about making a bequest, please call the parish office or the Development Office of the Archdiocese at 416-934-3411 ext. 519 or visit www.archtoronto.org/development.

#### **COLLECTION ENVELOPES FOR 2024**



Collection envelopes for 2024 are available for pick up at the back of the church.

### **CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING**



Liturgical Publications are setting up the advertisements for our new church bulletin. The advertisements, which make our bulletin possible, have begun in November.

Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Please call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

#### **PRAY FOR VOCATIONS**



"Lord, when was it that we saw you ...?" Have you heard the Lord as well?

If God is calling you to serve as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

vocations@archtoronto.org - www.vocationstoronto.ca

#### **CHANGE IN MAILING ADDRESS**



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